GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES
LOK SABHA

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EXPORT OF KHADI GARMENTS
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Will the Minister of AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a): whether Khadi garments are being exported from the country;

(b):if so, the quantity and value of the Khadi garments exported during each of the last three years, country-wise; and

(c): the value and quantity of the Khadi garments imported alongwith the names of the countries?

Answer

MINISTER OF SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES & AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES (SHRI MAHABIR PRASAD)

(a) & (b): Yes, Sir. Khadi products worth Rs. 88.38 lakh were exported to different countries, namely, United States of America, United Kingdom, Australia, Germany, Japan, Morocco and Spain during the last three years. The khadi products exported included various varieties of khadi fabrics like silk scarf, sarees and other garments of different types. The data of khadi garments exported is maintained by Khadi and Village Industries Commission (KVIC) only in terms of value of items exported and not in terms of quantity.

(c): Khadi is produced only in India and khadi fabric and readymade garments are being exported to different countries. The information regarding the value and quantity of the khadi garments imported, if any, is not available.